

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:		8/1/2021
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2751	51.72%
Female	2568	48.28%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	5319	
Age As Of		
8/1/2021		
Less than 1	248	4.66%
1 thru 3	761	14.31%
4 thru 6	608	11.43%
7 thru 9	561	10.55%
10 thru 12	544	10.23%
13 thru 15	789	14.83%
16 thru 17	758	14.25%
18	317	5.96%
19 and up	733	13.78%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4452	83.70%
2 Removals	688	12.93%
3 Removals	145	2.73%
4 Removals	30	0.56%
5 Removals	3	0.06%
6 or More Removals	1	0.02%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	665	12.50%
1 thru 3	702	13.20%
4 thru 6	635	11.94%
7 thru 9	627	11.79%
10 thru 12	698	13.12%
13 thru 15	1086	20.42%
16 thru 18	755	14.19%
19 and up	146	2.74%
Unknown	5	0.09%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	2746	51.63%
Institution	360	6.77%
Group Home	191	3.59%
Pre-adoptive Home	424	7.97%
Trial Home Visit	160	3.01%
Independent Living	898	16.88%
Relative Foster Home	496	9.33%
Runaway	0	0.00%
Unknown	44	0.83%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	986	18.54%
Neglect	2631	49.46%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	410	7.71%
Relinquishment	404	7.60%
Physical Abuse	795	14.95%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1612	30.31%
Inadequate Housing	755	14.19%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	292	5.49%
Sexual Abuse	238	4.47%
Abandonment	295	5.55%
Child's Disability	67	1.26%
Incarceration of Parent	293	5.51%
Child's Drug Abuse	112	2.11%
Death of Parent	55	1.03%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	24	0.45%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1224	23.01%
2 Placements	800	15.04%
3 Placements	511	9.61%
4 Placements	373	7.01%
5 Placements	279	5.25%
6 or More Placements	807	15.17%
Unknown	1325	24.91%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	5087	95.64%
Yes	129	2.43%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	216	4.06%
Emancipation	890	16.73%
Reunification	1606	30.19%
Adoption	1848	34.74%
Live With Other Relatives	407	7.65%
Not Yet Established	352	6.62%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	26	0.49%
Mental Retardation	8	0.15%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	2	0.04%
Physically Disabled	24	0.45%
Emotionally Disturbed	20	0.38%
Other Medical Condition	2	0.04%